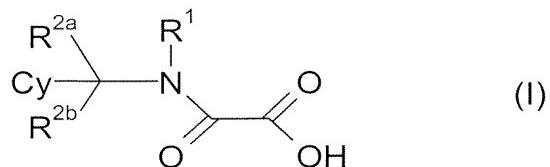


IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A substituted A substituted methylene amide derivative of Formula (I) :



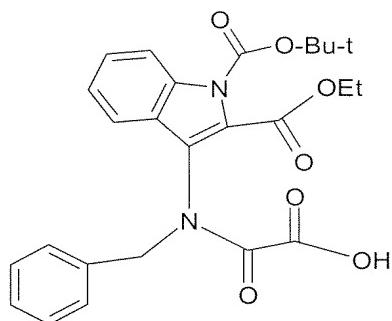
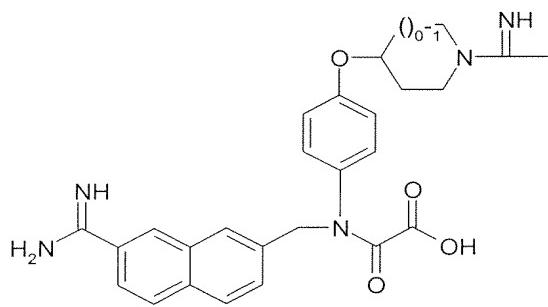
as well as its geometrical isomers, its optically active forms as enantiomers, diastereomers and its racemate forms, as well as pharmaceutically acceptable salts and pharmaceutically active derivatives thereof, wherein

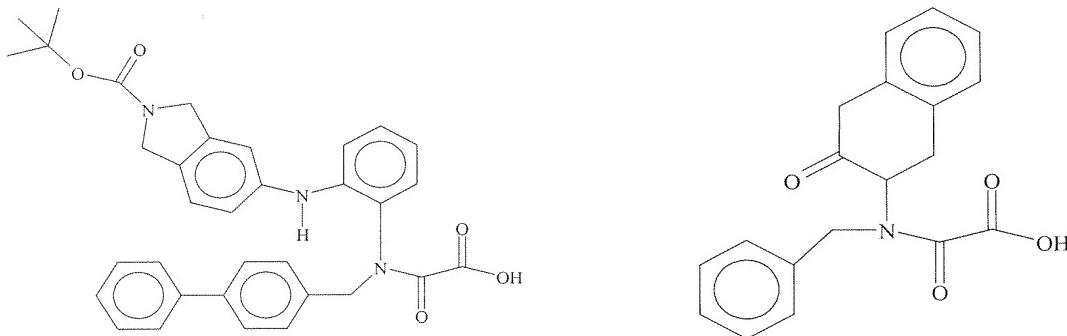
R¹ is selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₁₅)alkyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)-cycloalkyl or heterocycloalkyl, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl-aryl or (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl-heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl-aryl or -heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl-aryl or -heteroaryl;

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each independently from each other selected from the group comprising or consisting of H or (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl;

Cy is an aryl, heteroaryl, cycloalkyl or heterocycle group,

with the proviso that the following compounds are excluded:





Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The substituted The substituted methylene amide derivatives derivative according to claim 1, wherein R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 1 [[or 2]], wherein Cy is a thienyl or a phenyl group.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 3, wherein Cy is a thienyl[[,]] or a phenyl group being substituted by a phenyl or an oxadiazole group or by 1 or 2 moieties selected from the group consisting of -NH-CO-R³, -SO₂-NR³R^{3'}, or -CO-NR³R^{3'} in which R³, R^{3'} are independently selected from H, (C₁-C₁₅)alkyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)cycloalkyl or heterocycloalkyl, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl aryl or heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl-aryl or -heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl-aryl or -heteroaryl.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 4, wherein R^{3'} is H and R³ is selected from the group consisting of

diphenyl-ethyl, dodecyl, octyl, 4-pentyl-benzyl, 4-phenoxy-phenethyl, ethyl-thiophen-2-yl, pentadecyl, tridecyl, hexyloxy-phenyl or (2-ethyl)-hexyl.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of~~ claim 1 [[or 2]], wherein Cy is aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)-cycloalkyl or -heterocycloalkyl being substituted by a substituted or unsubstituted (C₂-C₁₈)alkynyl moiety.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 6 wherein Cy is phenyl, pyridinyl, naphthyl or benzofuranyl group, being substituted by B-R⁴ wherein B is ethynyl group and R⁴ is (C₆-C₁₆)alkyl, (3-8 membered) cycloalkyl, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl-(3-8 membered) cycloalkyl, phenyl or (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl phenyl.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 7 wherein Cy is phenyl being substituted by B-R⁴ wherein B is ethynyl group and R⁴ is (C₆-C₁₆)alkyl.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of claims 1 to 8~~ claim 1, wherein R¹ is a moiety -CH₂-A, or -CH₂-CH₂-A with A being an aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)heterocycloalkyl or (3-8-membered)cycloalkyl.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of claims 1 to 8~~ claim 1, wherein R¹ is A, with A being aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)heterocycloalkyl or (3-8-membered)cycloalkyl.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 9 or 10, wherein A is selected from the group consisting of phenyl, pyridinyl, benzo-1,3-dioxolenyl, biphenyl, naphthyl, quinoxalinyl, thiazolyl, thienyl, furanyl or a piperidinyl group, being optionally substituted by 1 or 2 cyano, halogen, NO₂, (C₁-C₆)alkoxy, aryloxy or heteroaryloxy, (C₁-C₆)thioalkoxy, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl-X wherein X is halogen, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8 membered) cycloalkyl or heterocycloalkyl, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl aryl or heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl aryl or heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl aryl or heteroaryl, -COR³, -COOR³, -CO-NR³R^{3'}, -NHCOR³ wherein R³ is a (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl or (C₁-C₁₂)alkenyl, -SOR³, -SO₂R³, -SO₂NR³R^{3'} with R³, R^{3'} being independently from each other selected from the group consisting of H, straight or branched (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)-cycloalkyl or heterocycloalkyl.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to any claims 1 to 5 and 9 to 11 claim 1 wherein:

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H;

R¹ is -CH₂-A, with A being phenyl or thienyl, optionally substituted by cyano, halogen, methoxy, hydroxy, phenoxy, -NO₂, trifluoromethyl;

Cy is a thienyl, phenyl or biphenyl being substituted by -SO₂R³, -CO-NR³R^{3'} in which R^{3'} is H and R³ is (C₇-C₁₂)alkyl, particularly (C₈-C₁₂)alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

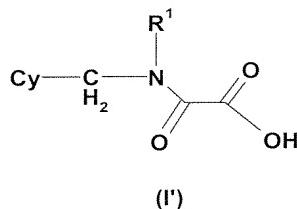
Claim 13 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The substituted methylene amide derivative according to [[any]] claim 1 to 5 and 9 to 11 wherein:

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H;

R¹ is -CH₂-A, with A being phenyl or thienyl, optionally substituted by cyano, halogen, methoxy, hydroxy, phenoxy, -NO₂, trifluoromethyl;

Cy is a thienyl, phenyl or biphenyl being substituted by -SO₂R³, -CO-NR³R^{3'} in which R^{3'} is H and R³ is (C₇-C₁₅)alkyl, particularly (C₈-C₁₅)alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

Claim 14 (Currently Amended): Substituted A substituted methylene amide derivative of Formula (I'): according to any of claims 1 to 5 or 9 to 11



wherein

R¹ is selected from the group consisting of phenyl, benzyl, phenethyl, 1-methylbenzyl which may be substituted by (C₁-C₆)alkyl group or a cycloalkyl group;

Cy is a phenyl or a biphenyl group substituted with a moiety selected from the group consisting of -NH-CO-R³, -CO-NH-R³, or an oxadiazole group substituted with R³, wherein R³ is (C₇-C₁₅)alkyl, particularly (C₈-C₁₅)alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended): A substituted methylene amide derivative according to any of the preceding claims selected from the following group consisting of:

(benzyl{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl] benzyl} amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo{ {4-[(pentadecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

(benzyl{4-[(pentadecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

(benzyl{4-[(tridecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;
[benzyl(4- {[dodecyl(methyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
{(4- {[dodecyl(methyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-
(oxo)acetic acid;
([1-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-4-piperidinyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-amino)-
(oxo)acetic acid;
{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic
acid;
{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic
acid;
({{1-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-4-piperidinyl]methyl}{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]}-
benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;
oxo{[4-(tridecanoylamino)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;
[benzyl(4- {[4-(hexyloxy)benzoyl]amino}benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(10-undecenoylamino)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;
oxo{ {4-[(9E)-9-tetradecenoylamino]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic
acid;
{benzyl[4-(tridecanoylamino)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
{ {4-[(2-hydroxydodecyl)amino]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)-
acetic acid;
oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]-amino}-
acetic acid;
{ {{5-[(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl}methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-
(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}({1-[(4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl]-4-piperidinyl}methyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-carboxy-1-phenylethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-methoxy-1-methylethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

(4-bromo{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}anilino)(oxo)acetic acid;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}anilino)(oxo)acetic acid;

([2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[2-(3-methoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[(d,l)-trans-2-phenylcyclopropyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

{[(d,l)-trans-2-(benzyloxy)cyclopentyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-4-phenoxyanilino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthalenyl)amino] - (oxo)acetic acid;

((1-benzyl-4-piperidinyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[2-(2-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

((2-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yethyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

(([1,1'-biphenyl]-3-ylmethyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

(3-(benzyloxy){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}anilino)(oxo)acetic acid;

([4-(benzoylamino)benzyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

N-(carboxycarbonyl)-N-{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-3-phenyl-beta-alanine;
{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(1,2,3-thiadiazol-4-yl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-pentylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(1-phenylethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[1-(1-naphthyl)ethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
(benzyl{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(methylsulfonyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

((3-cyanobenzyl){3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[(4-chlorobenzyl)(3-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {[4-({[2-(2-thienyl)ethyl]amino}carbonyl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)-benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{benzyl[(3'-{[(2,2-diphenylethyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl]-amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3-cyanobenzyl)[(3'-{[(2,2-diphenylethyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-chlorobenzyl)[(3'-{[(2,2-diphenylethyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[(3'-{[(2,2-diphenylethyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

((3-cyanobenzyl){[3'-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl]methyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo{ {[3'-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl]methyl}-[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

[(3-cyanobenzyl)({3'-[(octylamino)carbonyl][1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl} methyl)amino]- (oxo)acetic acid;

[(4-chlorobenzyl)({3'-[(octylamino)carbonyl][1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl} methyl)amino]- (oxo)acetic acid;

{({3'-[(octylamino)carbonyl][1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl} methyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3-cyanobenzyl)[(3'-{[(3-phenylpropyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[(3-cyanobenzyl)({3'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl][1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl} methyl)-amino]- (oxo)acetic acid;

[(4-chlorobenzyl)({3'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl][1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl} methyl)-amino]- (oxo)acetic acid;

{({3'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl][1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl} methyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{benzyl[(3'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3-cyanobenzyl)[(3'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-chlorobenzyl)[(3'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo{[(3'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoro-methyl)benzyl]amino}acetic acid;

oxo{[(3'-{[(4-phenylbutyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoro-methyl)benzyl]amino}acetic acid;

{(3-cyanobenzyl)[(3'-{[(2-mesitylethyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

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{[(3'-{[(2-mesitylethyl)amino]carbonyl}[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoro-methyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

((4-chlorobenzyl){[3'-({[2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl]methyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-methoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(methylsulfonyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-methoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{ {3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {[6-(trifluoromethyl)-3-pyridinyl]methyl}-
amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

4-[((carboxycarbonyl){3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)methyl]benzoic
acid;

({3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {4-[hydroxy(oxido)amino]benzyl}-
amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-fluorobenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-pyridinylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-thienylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-hydroxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {[6-(trifluoromethyl)-3-pyridinyl]methyl}-
amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

3-[((carboxycarbonyl){3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)methyl]benzoic
acid;

5-[((carboxycarbonyl){3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)methyl]-2-thio-
phenecarboxylic acid;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {4-[hydroxy(oxido)amino]-benzyl}-amino)-
(oxo)acetic acid;

((1,3-benzodioxol-5-ylmethyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]-benzyl} amino)-(oxo)-
acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-fluorobenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

4-[((carboxycarbonyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)methyl]benzoic
acid;

5-[((carboxycarbonyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)methyl]-2-thiophenecarboxylic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-thienylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(isopropyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

((3,5-dichlorobenzyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)(4-{[(3,3-diphenylpropyl)amino]carbonyl}-benzyl)amino]-(oxo)acetic acid;

[(4-{[(2-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ylethyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(1,3-benzodioxol-5-ylmethyl)(4-{[(2-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ylethyl)amino]carbonyl}-benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

(2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl[4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino}-carbonyl)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-pyridinylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(dimethylamino)benzyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-pyridinylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

((4-cyanobenzyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{1,3-thiazol-2-ylmethyl}amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl){[2-(4-morpholinyl)-1,3-thiazol-5-yl]methyl}-amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-pyridinylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-pyridinylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{3-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-hydroxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
((4-cyanobenzyl){3-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino](oxo)acetic acid;
[{3-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(1,3-thiazol-2-ylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
({3-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{[2-(4-morpholinyl)-1,3-thiazol-5-yl]methyl}-
amino)(oxo)acetic acid;
((1,3-benzodioxol-5-ylmethyl){3-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]-benzyl} amino)-
(oxo)acetic acid;
[{4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-thienylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
[{4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-pyridinylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
[{4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-thienylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
[{4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-hydroxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
3-[(carboxycarbonyl){4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)methyl]benzoic
acid;
[cyclopentyl({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
[benzyl({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
(({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl}{3-[hydroxy(oxido)amino]-benzyl})-
amino)(oxo)acetic acid;
[(({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl](4-methoxybenzyl)amino]-(oxo)-
acetic acid;
[(({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl)(2-fluorobenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic
acid;
(({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl)[4-(methylsulfonyl)-benzyl]-
amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
[(({5-[{(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl} methyl](4-phenoxybenzyl)amino]-(oxo)-
acetic acid;

4-{{(carboxycarbonyl)({5-[(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl}methyl)-amino}-methyl}benzoic acid;

(({5-[(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl}methyl){[6-(trifluoromethyl)-3-pyridinyl]-methyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

(({5-[(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl}methyl)[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

[(3-chlorobenzyl)({5-[(dodecylamino)sulfonyl]-2-thienyl}methyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[(5-{[(3,3-diphenylpropyl)amino]sulfonyl}-2-thienyl)methyl][3-(trifluoromethyl)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3-chlorobenzyl){[(5-{[(3,3-diphenylpropyl)amino]sulfonyl}-2-thienyl)methyl]-amino}}(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo{[{5-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino}sulfonyl)-2-thienyl}methyl][3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}acetic acid;

((3-chlorobenzyl){[5-{[(2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino}sulfonyl)-2-thienyl]-methyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{[(5-{[(2-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yethyl)amino]sulfonyl}-2-thienyl)methyl][3-(trifluoro-methyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

(({1-[(cyclohexylamino)carbonyl]-4-piperidinyl}methyl){4-[(dodecylamino)-carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{[(1-{[4-(dimethylamino)anilino]carbonyl}-4-piperidinyl)methyl]{4-[(dodecyl-amino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{[(1-hexanoyl-4-piperidinyl)methyl]-amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {[1-(3-iodobenzoyl)-4-piperidinyl]methyl}-
amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} [(1-{(2E)-3-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-2-
propenoyl}-4-piperidinyl)methyl]amino } (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {[1-(2-quinoxalinylcarbonyl)-4-piperidinyl]-
methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[({1-[(4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl]-4-piperidinyl}methyl)(4-{[(4-
phenoxybenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{[1-(3-iodobenzoyl)-4-piperidinyl]methyl} (4-{[(4-phenoxybenzyl)amino]-
carbonyl}benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {(4-{[(4-phenoxybenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)[(1-{(2E)-3-[3-
(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-2-propenoyl}-4-piperidinyl)methyl]amino} acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]phenyl} [2-(methoxycarbonyl)benzyl]-
amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-{[(2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl)amino]carbonyl}-2-bromobenzyl](4-iodobenzyl)-
amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2-bromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(4-iodobenzyl)amino]-
(oxo)acetic acid;

[{2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} (4-iodobenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2,6-dibromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(4-iodobenzyl)amino]-
(oxo)acetic acid;

((4-iodobenzyl){[4'-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-
yl]methyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-bromo-4-{[(2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-
biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-({[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-2-bromobenzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{(2-bromo-4- {[[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl} benzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[2,6-dibromo-4- {[[(2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl)amino]carbonyl} benzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-({[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-2,6-dibromobenzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{(2,6-dibromo-4- {[[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl} benzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[2,6-dibromo-4- [(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl][(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl] {[4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino}- carbonyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{({4'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl} methyl)[(4'-fluoro-1,1'-biphenyl-3-yl)methyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{(2-bromo-4- {[[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl} benzyl)[2-(trifluoromethoxy)- benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{(2,6-dibromo-4- {[[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl} benzyl)[2-(trifluoromethoxy)- benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

oxo { {[4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} - [2-(trifluoromethoxy)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{({4'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl} methyl)[2-(trifluoromethoxy)- benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

[[2-bromo-4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)benzyl](3-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-({[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-2-bromobenzyl](3-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2-bromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(3-phenoxybenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[2,6-dibromo-4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)benzyl](3-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-({[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-2,6-dibromobenzyl](3-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2,6-dibromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(3-phenoxybenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{2,6-dibromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)-acetic acid;

oxo((3-phenoxybenzyl){[4'-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl]methyl}amino)acetic acid;

oxo{[(4'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)methyl](3-phenoxybenzyl)amino]acetic acid;

[({4'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl}methyl)(3-phenoxybenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[2-bromo-4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)benzyl](2-iodobenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-({[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl)-2-bromobenzyl](2-iodobenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2-bromo-4-{{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl}(2-iodobenzyl)amino]-
(oxo)acetic acid;
[{{2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-iodobenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
([2-bromo-4-{{[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl}benzyl]{{[2'-(trifluoro-
methyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
([4-{{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl}-2-bromobenzyl]{{[2'-(trifluoro-
methyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
((2-bromo-4-{{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl}{{[2'-(trifluoromethyl)-1,1'-
biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
((2-bromo-4-{{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl}{{[2'-(trifluoromethyl)-1,1'-
biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
({{2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{{[2'-(trifluoromethyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-
yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
([4-{{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl}-2,6-dibromobenzyl]{{[2'-(tri-
fluoromethyl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
((2,6-dibromo-4-{{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl}{{[2'-(trifluoromethyl)-1,1'-
biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
({{2,6-dibromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{{[2'-(trifluoromethyl)-1,1'-
biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
(({4'-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl}methyl){{[2'-(trifluoromethyl)-1,1'-
biphenyl-4-yl]methyl} amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
[[4-{{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino} carbonyl}-2-bromobenzyl](1,1'-biphenyl-2-
ylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;
[(1,1'-biphenyl-2-ylmethyl)(2-bromo-4-{{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl}-
amino](oxo)acetic acid;

((1,1'-biphenyl-2-ylmethyl){2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-amino)-(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1,1'-biphenyl-2-ylmethyl)[2,6-dibromo-4-({[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino}-carbonyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-({[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino}carbonyl)-2,6-dibromobenzyl](1,1'-biphenyl-2-ylmethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(1,1'-biphenyl-2-ylmethyl)(2,6-dibromo-4-{{(4-pentylbenzyl)amino}carbonyl}-benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

((1,1'-biphenyl-2-ylmethyl){2,6-dibromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{(2-bromo-4-{{(4-pentylbenzyl)amino}carbonyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethoxy)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

{(2,6-dibromo-4-{{(4-pentylbenzyl)amino}carbonyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethoxy)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(2-bromo-4-{{(4-pentylbenzyl)amino}carbonyl}benzyl)[3-(trifluoromethoxy)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-(trifluoromethoxy)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

{(2,6-dibromo-4-{{(4-pentylbenzyl)amino}carbonyl}benzyl)[3-(trifluoromethoxy)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {2,6-dibromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-(trifluoromethoxy)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

{({4'-(dodecylamino)carbonyl}-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl}methyl)[3-(trifluoromethoxy)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[[2-bromo-4-{[2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)ethyl]amino}carbonyl]benzyl](4-phenoxy-benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino}carbonyl]-2-bromobenzyl](4-phenoxy-benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2-bromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(4-phenoxybenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{2-bromo-4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(4-phenoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[4-{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino}carbonyl]-2,6-dibromobenzyl](4-phenoxy-benzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(2,6-dibromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)(4-phenoxybenzyl)-amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl]amino}carbonyl]-2-bromobenzyl}[4-(trifluoro-methyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(2-bromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)-benzyl]-amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-bromo-4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino]- (oxo)acetic acid;

{(2,6-dibromo-4-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)-benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2,6-dibromo-4-[{(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {[(4'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{ {2-bromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {2,6-dibromo-4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {[(4'-{[(4-pentylbenzyl)amino]carbonyl}-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)methyl][3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{(4-dibenzo[b,d]furan-4-ylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dibenzo[b,d]furan-4-ylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid,

N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino)-
(oxo)acetic acid;

({4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino)-
(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {4'-[(octylamino)carbonyl]-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl}methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-
amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {(4-tetradec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{(4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]amino} (oxo)acetic
acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-methoxyphenyl)amino] (oxo)acetic acid;

((1,2-diphenylethyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino) (oxo)acetic acid;

N-(carboxycarbonyl)-N-{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-L-phenylalanine;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(3-phenoxyphenyl)amino] (oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{(2-isopropoxypyhenyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{(4-iodophenyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[3-fluoro-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-

amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

((3-chloro-2-methylphenyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic

acid;

4'-((carboxycarbonyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)-1,1'-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid;

((2,4-dichlorobenzyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{(1-phenylpropyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(4-chlorophenyl)propyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{(4-isopropoxypyhenyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(benzyloxy)phenyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}{(2-methoxybenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[(1R)-1-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)-(oxo)acetic acid;

((3,4-dichlorobenzyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1-benzothien-3-ylmethyl){4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(2,6-dichlorophenyl)ethyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} {2-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}-amino)-(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[2-(3-fluorophenyl)ethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

([(1S)-1-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl} amino)(oxo)-acetic acid;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[(1S)-1-phenylethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}[(1R)-1-phenylethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[3-(benzyloxy)phenyl}{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

N-(carboxycarbonyl)-N-{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-D-phenylalanine;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]phenyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]phenyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo{ {1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

oxo{ {1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

([(2-butyl-1-benzofuran-3-yl)methyl]{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}-amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1-{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]phenyl}ethyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1-{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]phenyl}ethyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{(4-{{(4-octylphenyl)amino}carbonyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3-chlorobenzyl)[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3-chlorobenzyl)[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid,

N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy 1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {cyclopentyl[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl}[4-(tridecanoylamino)benzyl]-amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo([4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]{[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)-1-naphthyl]-methyl}amino)acetic acid;

oxo([4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]{[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)-1-naphthyl]-methyl}amino)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy 1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {cyclopentyl[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {cyclopentyl[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy 1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{(4-dibenzo[b,d]furan-4-ylphenyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dibenzo[b,d]furan-4-ylphenyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid,

N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy 1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{[4-(octyloxy)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(octyloxy)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy 1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

[[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl](4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

([2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl]{4-[(1Z)-dec-1-enyl]benzyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)-acetic acid;

{[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)-acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo{[(1R)-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

oxo{[(1R)-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}-acetic acid;

oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}-acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo{[(1S)-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

oxo{[(1S)-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

[(3-chlorobenzyl)(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[(3-chlorobenzyl)(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

[[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl](4-oct-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl](4-oct-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

((4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl){1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid;

((4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl){1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino)(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {1-methyl-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {1-methyl-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)-acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {[4-(dodecyloxy)-1-naphthyl]methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {[4-(dodecyloxy)-1-naphthyl]methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt

[(4-bromobenzyl)(4-oct-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[{4-[(dodecylamino)carbonyl]benzyl}(2-hydroxy-1-phenylethyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

((4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl){1-methyl-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino)(oxo)-acetic acid;

((4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl){1-methyl-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino)(oxo)-acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo{[4-[(9Z)-tetradec-9-enoylamino]benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-acetic acid;

{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]-amino}acetic acid;

oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}-acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{(4-dodecylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
{(4-dodecylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{[4-{[(2-butyl-1-benzofuran-3-yl)methyl]amino}carbonyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-{[4-(benzyloxy)benzoyl]amino}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)acetic acid;

{(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)[4-(tridecanoylamino)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;
{(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)[4-(tridecanoylamino)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{[4-[(4-octylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(5-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-yl)benzyl]amino}-acetic acid;

oxo{[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(5-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-yl)benzyl]amino}-acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {4-[2-(4-octylphenyl)ethyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-{[4-(heptyloxy)phenyl]ethynyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(4-butylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(4-hexylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(4-hexylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo { {4-[(4-pentyloxy)phenyl]ethynyl}benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino} - acetic acid;

oxo { {4-[(4-propylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

[[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl](4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)amino] (oxo)acetic acid;

[[2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl](4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)amino] (oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{(4-oct-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(11-hydroxyundec-1-ynyl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(11-methoxy-11-oxoundec-1-ynyl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

11-[4-((carboxycarbonyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} methyl)phenyl]undec-10-ynoic acid;

{(4- {[4-(benzyloxy)phenyl]ethynyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-
(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4- {2-[4-(heptyloxy)phenyl]ethyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)-
acetic acid;

{ {4-[2-(4-butylphenyl)ethyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic
acid;

{ {4-[2-(4-hexylphenyl)ethyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic
acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo {(4-{2-[4-(pentyloxy)phenyl]ethyl}benzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-
amino} acetic acid;

oxo { {4-[2-(4-propylphenyl)ethyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic
acid;

11-[4-({(carboxycarbonyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} methyl)phenyl]-
undecanoic acid;

{[4-(11-hydroxyundecyl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, N-
methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo([4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]{4-[2-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)ethyl]benzyl}-
amino)acetic acid;

oxo([4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]{4-[2-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)ethyl]benzyl}-
amino)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {4-[2-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)ethyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[2-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)ethyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino} (oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ {4-[(4-octylbenzoyl)amino]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {4-[(4-octylbenzoyl)amino]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

oxo {[(1-tridecanoylpiperidin-4-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{ {[1-(4-octylbenzoyl)piperidin-4-yl]methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

{ {[1-(4-octylbenzoyl)piperidin-4-yl]methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid, N-methyl-D-glucamine (i.e. 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)glucitol) salt;

{ [(3-dec-1-ynyl-1-benzofuran-5-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

{ [(3-dodec-1-ynyl-1-benzofuran-5-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} - (oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {{ {3-[(4-propylphenyl)ethynyl]-1-benzofuran-5-yl} methyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)-benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

[(4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)(4-fluorobenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

[bis(4-oct-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{ [(6-dodec-1-ynylpyridin-3-yl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{ (3-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic
acid;

{[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
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{[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-
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{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)ethyl][4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

oxo {5,6,7,8-tetrahydronaphthalen-1-yl[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]-
amino} acetic acid;

oxo {5,6,7,8-tetrahydronaphthalen-1-yl[3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]-
amino} acetic acid;

[[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl](5,6,7,8-tetrahydronaphthalen-1-yl)amino] -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1,1'-biphenyl-3-ylmethyl)[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1,1'-biphenyl-3-ylmethyl)[3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
(oxo)acetic acid;

{(1,1'-biphenyl-3-ylmethyl)[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -(oxo)-
acetic acid;

{(1-benzothien-3-ylmethyl)[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -(oxo)-
acetic acid;

{(1-benzothien-3-ylmethyl)[3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)-
acetic acid;

{(1-benzothien-3-ylmethyl)[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)-
acetic acid;

oxo {[2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino} -
acetic acid;

oxo {[2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-
yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid;

{[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl][2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} (oxo)-
acetic acid;

oxo {[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]-amino} -
acetic acid;

oxo {[3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]-amino} -
acetic acid;

{[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl][3-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino} -(oxo)-
acetic acid;

{(2-methoxybenzyl)[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {(2-methoxybenzyl)[3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)-acetic acid; {(2-methoxybenzyl)[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; oxo{ {4-[(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl]benzyl}[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)-benzyl]amino} acetic acid; oxo{ {4-[(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl]benzyl}[3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)-benzyl]amino} acetic acid; {[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]{4-[(trifluoromethyl)-sulfonyl]benzyl}-amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl[4-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl[3-(3-undecyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl[4-(3-octyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {[{(4-dodec-1-ynyl-1-naphthyl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {[{(4-dec-1-ynyl-1-naphthyl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {[{(4-dec-1-ynyl-1-naphthyl)methyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; oxo{ [4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl][4-(4-undecyl-1,3-thiazol-2-yl)benzyl]amino} acetic acid; {(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid; {(4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {[4-(dodecyloxy)-1-naphthyl]methyl}[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl][4-(octyloxy)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)[2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{ {[4-(dodecyloxy)-1-naphthyl]methyl}[2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

acid;

{[4-(octyloxy)benzyl][2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

[[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl](4-dodec-1-ynylbenzyl)amino](oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl]{[4-(dodecyloxy)-1-naphthyl]methyl}amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl][4-(octyloxy)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-[(4-hexylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl}{1-methyl-1-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{[4-(5-cyclohexylpent-1-ynyl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

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{ {3-[(4-hexylphenyl)ethynyl]benzyl}[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

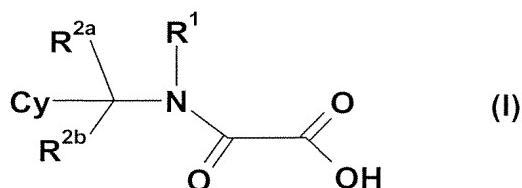
{[4-(4-ethyl-3-hydroxyoct-1-ynyl)benzyl][4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}-(oxo)-acetic acid;

{(2-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid;

{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, L-lysine salt;

{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid,
tromethamine (i.e. (2-amino-2-hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol) salt;
{(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetic acid, L-Arginine
salt;
Sodium {(4-dec-1-ynylbenzyl)[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]amino}(oxo)acetate.

Claim 16 (Currently Amended): Substituted A substituted methylene amide derivative of Formula (I) :

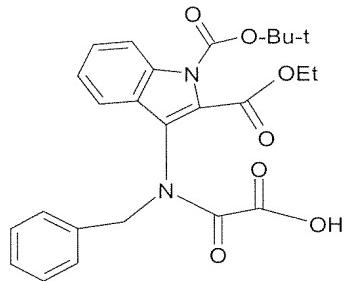
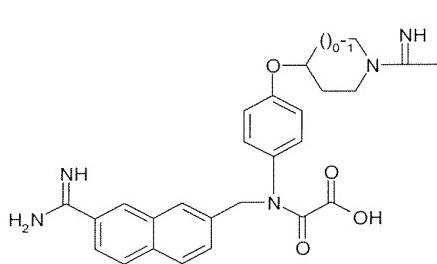


as well as its geometrical isomers, its optically active forms as enantiomers, diastereomers and its racemate forms, as well as pharmaceutically acceptable salts and pharmaceutically active derivatives thereof, wherein

R¹ is selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)cycloalkyl or heterocycloalkyl, (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl-aryl or (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl-heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkenyl-aryl or -heteroaryl, (C₂-C₁₂)alkynyl-aryl or -heteroaryl;

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each independently from each other selected from the group comprising or consisting of H or (C₁-C₁₂)alkyl;

Cy is an aryl, heteroaryl, cycloalkyl or heterocycle, ~~for use as a medicament~~, with the proviso that the following compounds are excluded :



Claim 17 (Currently Amended): Substituted The substituted methylene amide derivative according to claim 16 wherein

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H;

R^1 is $-CH_2-A$, with A being phenyl or thienyl, optionally substituted by cyano, halogen, methoxy, hydroxy, phenoxy, $-NO_2$, trifluoromethyl;

Cy is a thienyl, phenyl or biphenyl being substituted by $-SO_2R^3$, $-CO-NR^3R^3'$ in which R^3' is H and R^3 is (C_7-C_{15}) alkyl, particularly (C_8-C_{15}) alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): Substituted The substituted methylene amide derivative of Formula according to claim 16 wherein

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H,

R^1 is selected from the group consisting of phenyl, benzyl, phenethyl, 1-methylbenzyl which may be substituted by (C_1-C_6) alkyl group or a cycloalkyl group;

Cy is a phenyl or a biphenyl group substituted with a moiety selected from the group consisting of $-NH-CO-R^3$, $-CO-NH-R^3$, or an oxadiazole group substituted with R^3 , wherein R^3 is (C_7-C_{15}) alkyl, particularly (C_8-C_{15}) alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

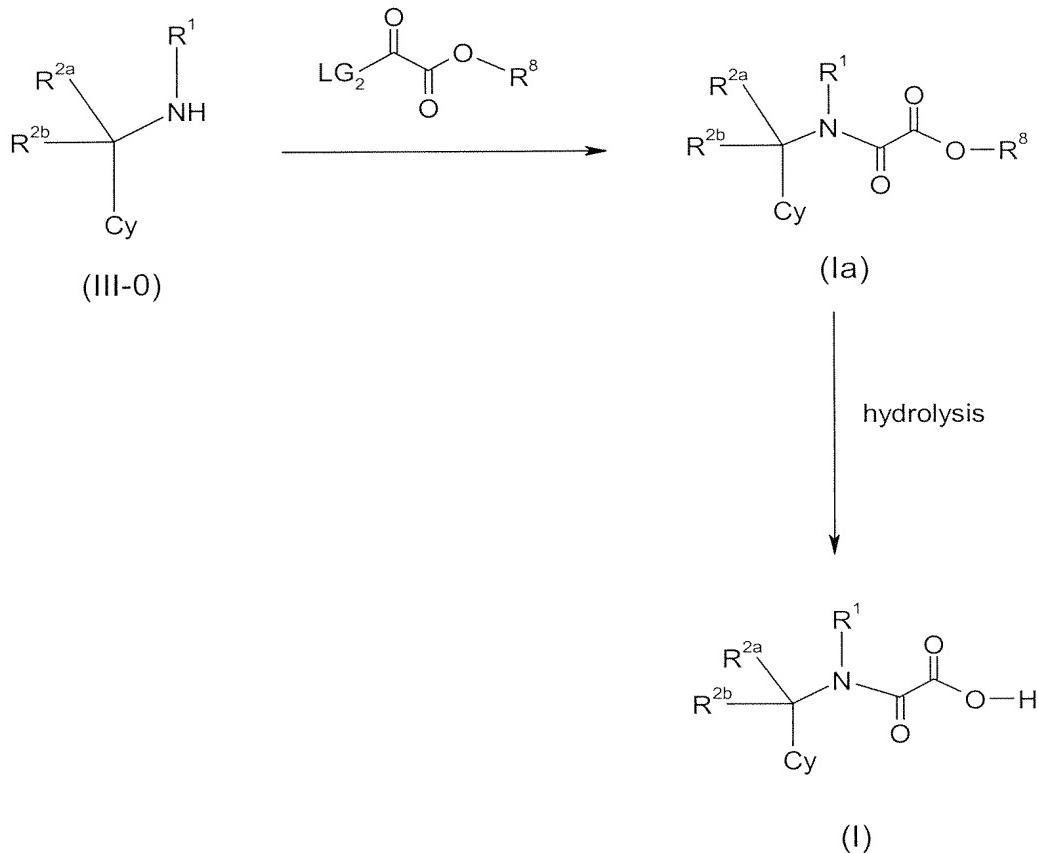
Claims 19-26 (Canceled).

Claim 27 (Currently Amended): A pharmaceutical composition ~~containing~~ comprising at least one substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of claims 1 to 15~~ claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent or excipient thereof.

Claim 28 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The pharmaceutical composition according to claim 27 further comprising at least one supplementary drug selected from the group consisting of insulin, aldose reductase inhibitors, alpha-glucosidase inhibitors, sulfonyl urea agents, biguanides (e.g. metformin), thiazolidines, PPARs agonists, c-Jun Kinase or GSK-3 inhibitors.

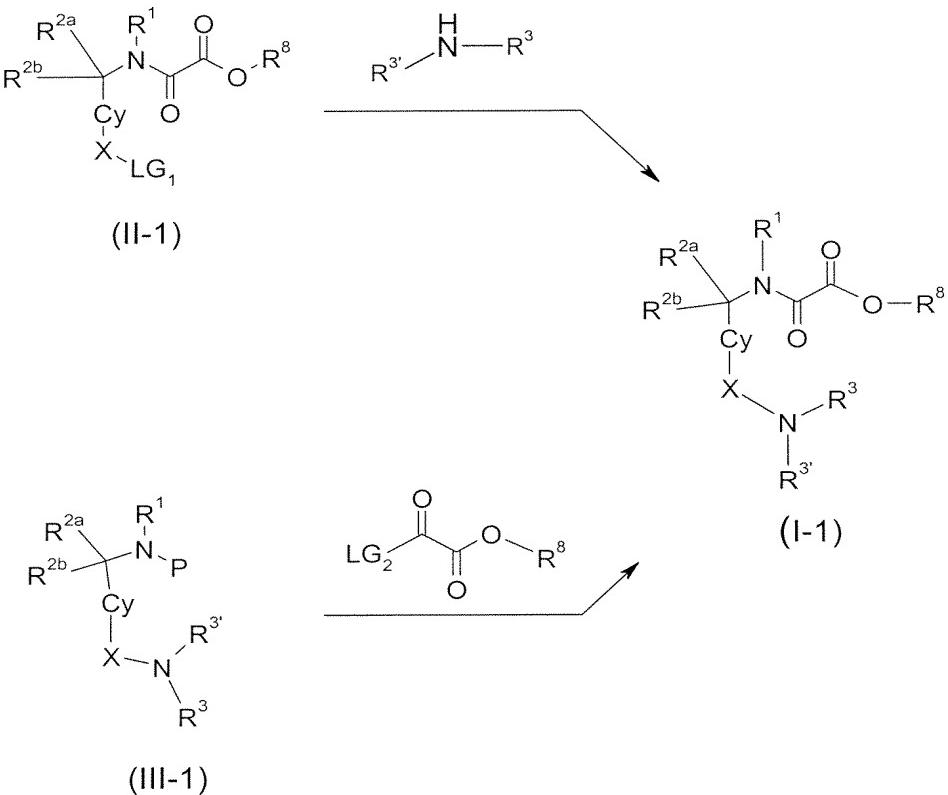
Claim 29 (Currently Amended): [[A]] The pharmaceutical composition according to claim 28 wherein said supplementary drug is selected from the group consisting of a rapid acting insulin, an intermediate acting insulin, a long acting insulin, a combination of intermediate and rapid acting insulins, Minalrestat, Tolrestat, Sorbinil, Methosorbinil, Zopolrestat, Epalrestat, Zenarestat, Imirestat, Ponalrestat, ONO-2235, GP-1447, CT-112, BAL-ARI 8, AD-5467, ZD5522, M-16209, NZ-314, M-79175, SPR-210, ADN 138, or SNK-860, Miglitol, Acarbose, Glipizide, Glyburide, Chlorpropamide, Tolbutamide, Tolazamide, or Glimepride.

Claim 30 (Currently Amended): A method of preparing [[a]] the substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of claims 1 to 15~~ claim 1, comprising: [[the]] coupling step between an amine derivative of formula (III-0) and an ester of formula LG₂-CO-CO-OR⁸, followed by [[a]] hydrolysis[:],



wherein Cy, R¹, R^{2a}, R^{2b} are as above-defined in claim 1, R⁸ is a (C₁-C₆)alkyl or cycloalkyl and LG₂ is a leaving group selected from Cl, N-hydroxy succinimide or benzotriazol-1-yl.

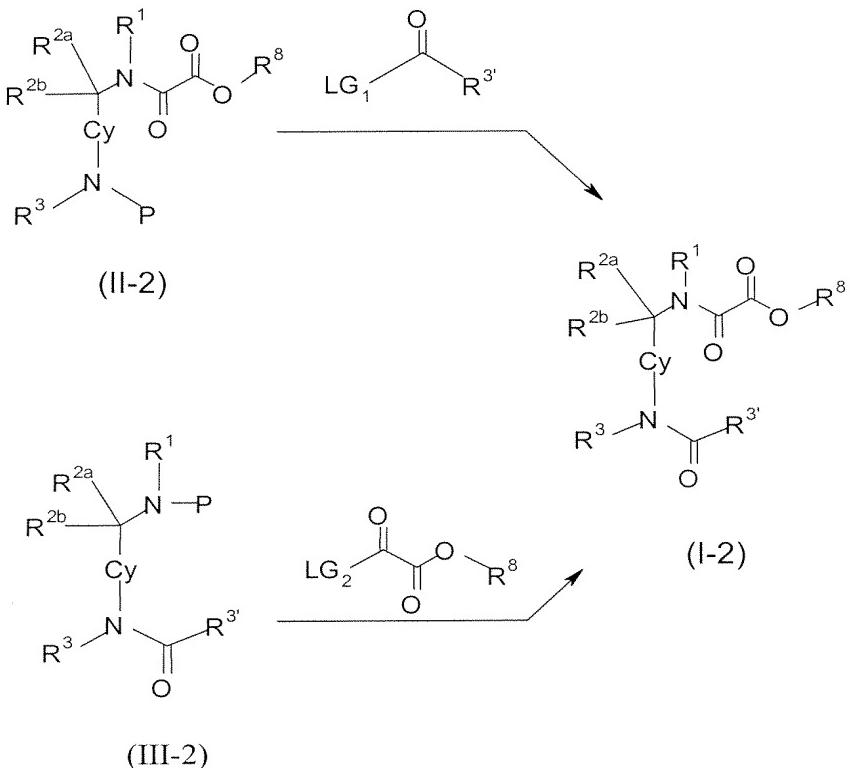
Claim 31 (Currently Amended): A method of preparation of [[a]] the substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of claims 1 to 5 and 9 to 15~~ claim 1, comprising the step of providing the corresponding an ester of formula (I-1) according to the reaction scheme below:



wherein X is $-\text{CO}-$ or $-\text{SO}_2-$, LG_1 is Cl, OH, -Obn, O-Alkyl or O-Alkylaryl and LG_2 is selected from Cl, N-hydroxy succinimide or benzotriazol-1-yl, R^8 is a ($\text{C}_1\text{-}\text{C}_6$)alkyl or cycloalkyl, P is H or a protective group selected from Boc or Fmoc, R^1 , R^{2a} , R^{2b} , R^3 and $\text{R}^{3'}$ are as above defined;

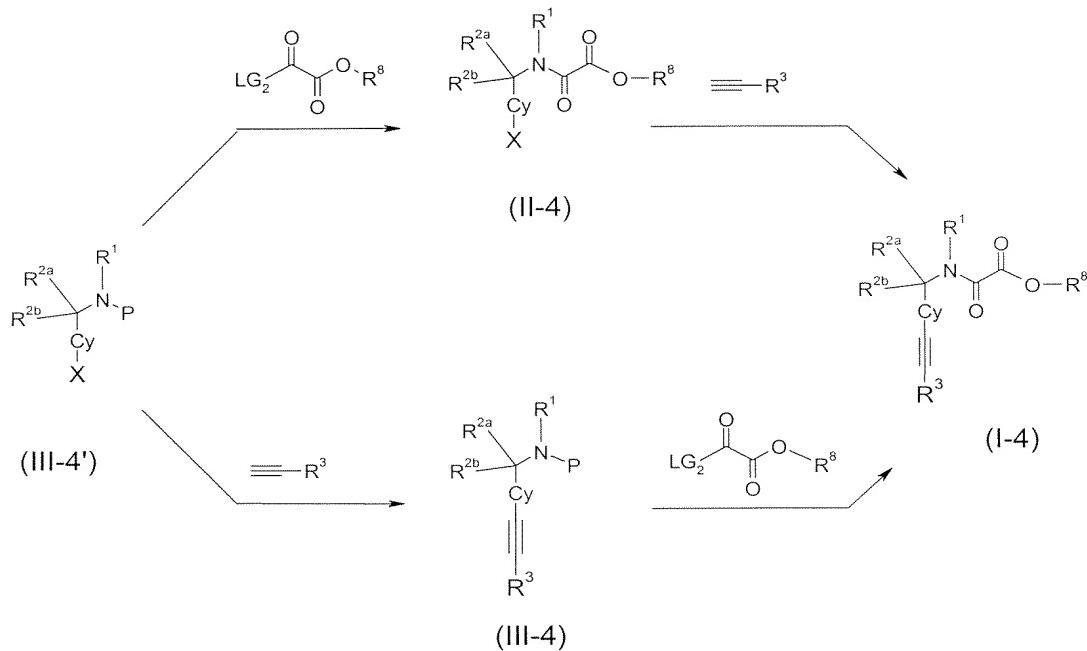
and a subsequent followed by hydrolysis [[step]], thus yielding the methylene amide derivative of formula (I).

Claim 32 (Currently Amended): A method of preparing [[a]] the substituted methylene amide derivative of formula (I) according to ~~any of claims 1 to 5, 9 to 11, 14 and 15~~ claim 1, comprising: the step of providing the corresponding an ester of formula (I-2) according to the reaction scheme below:



wherein LG_1 is Cl, OH, O Bn , O-Alkyl or O-Alkylaryl and LG_2 is selected from Cl, N-hydroxy succinimide or benzotriazol-1-yl, R^8 is a C₁-C₆ alkyl or cycloalkyl, P is H or a protective group selected from Boc or Fmoc, R^1 , R^{2a} , R^{2b} , R^3 and $\text{R}^{3'}$ are as above defined; and a subsequent followed by hydrolysis [[step]], thus yielding the methylene amide derivative of formula (I).

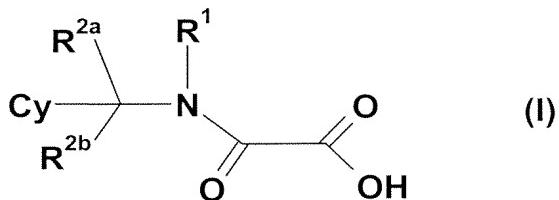
Claim 33 (Currently Amended): A method of preparing [[a]] the substituted methylene amide derivative according to ~~any of claims 1 to 11 and 15~~ claim 1, comprising: the step of providing the corresponding an ester of formula (I-4) according to the reaction scheme below:



wherein X is halogen atom selected from the group consisting of Br, I Cl or a leaving group such as $\text{-OSO}_2\text{CF}_3$, R^8 is an alkyl group, LG_2 is selected from Cl, N-hydroxy succinimide or benzotriazol-1-yl, P is H or a protective group selected from Boc or Fmoc, R^1 , R^{2a} , R^{2b} and R^3 are as above defined;

~~and a subsequent followed by~~ hydrolysis [[step]], thus yielding the methylene amide derivative of formula (I).

Claim 34 (New): A method for the treatment and/or prevention of metabolic disorders mediated by insulin resistance or hyperglycemia, selected from the group consisting of diabetes type I and/or II, inadequate glucose tolerance, insulin resistance, hyperlipidemia, hypertriglyceridemia, hypercholesterolemia, obesity, appetite regulation, and polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS), comprising administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of substituted methylene amide derivative according to formula (I):



as well as its geometrical isomers, its optically active forms as enantiomers, diastereomers and its racemate forms, as well as pharmaceutically acceptable salts and pharmaceutically active derivatives thereof, wherein

R^1 is selected from the group consisting of H, (C_1-C_{12})alkyl, (C_2-C_{12})alkenyl, (C_2-C_{12})alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, (3-8-membered)cycloalkyl or heterocycloalkyl, (C_1-C_{12})alkyl-aryl or (C_1-C_{12})alkyl-heteroaryl, (C_2-C_{12})alkenyl-aryl or -heteroaryl, (C_2-C_{12})alkynyl-aryl or -heteroaryl;

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each independently from each other selected from the group comprising or consisting of H or (C_1-C_{12})alkyl;

Cy is an aryl, heteroaryl, cycloalkyl or heterocycle.

Claim 35 (New): The method according to claim 34, wherein the metabolic disorders are selected from the group consisting of diabetes type II, obesity or for appetite regulation.

Claim 36 (New): The method according to claim 34, wherein R^{2a} , R^{2b} , R^1 and Cy of the substituted methylene amide derivative are as follows:

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H;

R^1 is $-CH_2-A$, with A being phenyl or thienyl, optionally substituted by cyano, halogen, methoxy, hydroxy, phenoxy, $-NO_2$, trifluoromethyl;

Cy is a thienyl, phenyl or biphenyl being substituted by $-SO_2R^3$, $-CO-NR^3R^3'$ in which R^3 is H and R^3' is (C_7-C_{15})alkyl, particularly (C_8-C_{15})alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

Claim 37 (New): The method according to claim 34, wherein R^{2a}, R^{2b}, R¹ and Cy of the substituted methylene amide derivative are as follows:

R^{2a} and R^{2b} are each H;

R¹ is selected from the group consisting of phenyl, benzyl, phenethyl, 1-methylbenzyl which may be substituted by (C₁-C₆)alkyl group or a cycloalkyl group;

Cy is a phenyl or a biphenyl group substituted with a moiety selected from the group consisting of -NH-CO-R³, -CO-NH-R³, or an oxadiazole group substituted with R³, wherein R³ is (C₇-C₁₅)alkyl, particularly (C₈-C₁₅)alkyl and more particularly a dodecyl group.

Claim 38 (New): A method for the modulation of the activity of PTPs, comprising administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of the substituted methylene amide derivative as defined in claim 34.

Claim 39 (New): The method according to claim 38 wherein the PTP is PTP1B.

Claim 40 (New): The method according to claim 38 wherein said modulation consists in the inhibition of PTP1B.

Claim 41 (New): A method for the treatment or prevention of disorders mediated by PTP1B comprising administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of the substituted methylene amide derivative as defined in claim 34.